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**PETITION TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.48(a)**

Sir:

As authorized under 37 CFR § 1.48(a), applicants respectfully request amendment of the above-identified application to add Srinivas G. Rao as a joint inventor in the above-identified application. The requested and correct inventorship is as follows:

1. Jane Hirsh
2. Roman Rariy
3. Michael T. Hefferman
4. Srinivas G. Rao
5. Shubha Chungi

PETITION TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a), submitted with this petition are:

1. Executed Consent to Correct Inventorship by assignee Collegium Pharmaceutical, Inc., with attached Statement Under 37 CFR §3.73(b) and a copy of the executed Assignment of rights from Srinivas G. Rao to Cypress Bioscience, Inc.;
2. Executed Statement by Srinivas G. Rao pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(2), stating that the error occurred without deceptive intent on his part;
3. Executed Declaration by actual inventors Jane C. Hirsh, Roman Rariy, Michael T. Hefferman, Shubha Chungi, and Srinivas G. Rao as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.63.
4. Executed Power of Attorney and Correspondence Address Indication Form by assignee Collegium Pharmaceutical, Inc.
5. A Supplemental Application Data Sheet, which names all of the inventors; and
6. Authorization to charge \$130.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-3129 to cover the fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i).

It is believed that no additional fee is required with this submission. However, should an additional fee be required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 50-3129.

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Having fulfilled the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a), applicants respectfully request that this Petition to Correct Inventorship be granted and that the above-identified application be amended to name the actual inventors.

Respectfully submitted,

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